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Washington, D.C. 20231

SUBJECT: Patent Application
Inventors: Thomas N. Turba and J. Mark Brassil
Title: STATE MANAGEMENT FOR A STEP ARCHITECTURE
File No: RA 5363 (33012/310/101)
Customer Number: 27516

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the following papers comprising an application for patent as identified above:

1. Specification (63 pages)
2. Claims (6 pages)
3. Formal Drawings (39 pages)
4. Declaration and Power of Attorney
5. Assignment of Invention
6. Assignment Coversheet
7. Request & Certification Under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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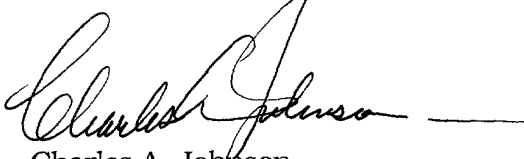
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